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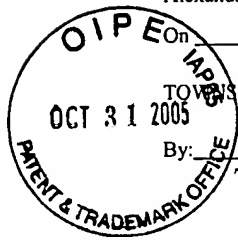
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DRIVE (HDD) THAT IS HOT-PLUG  
COMPATIBLE WITH MULTIPLE  
EXTERNAL POWER SUPPLY  
VOLTAGES

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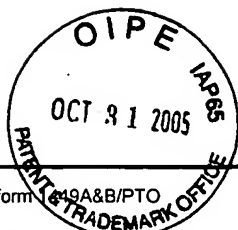
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